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In re application of

(Steven Mayle)

Serial Number: 09/759,698

Filed: 01/12/2001

For: Apparatus and Method for Sealing

A Vertical Protrusion on a Roof

DECISION ON PETITION

TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP

UNDER 37 CFR. 1. 48

This is a decision on the petitions filed on April 11, 2002 under 37 CFR 1.48 to correct the inventorship of the above identified application. A petition fee of \$130.00 was included.

The application was filed on January 12, 2001 listing Steven Mayle as the sole inventor. On April 11, 2002, applicants filed the present petition to add Robert L. Mayle as a joint inventor. Declarations from Steven Mayle and Robert L. Mayle are included in the petition. Also included is a statement from Robert L. Mayle who is being added as an inventor that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention on his part.

In view of the petition, it has been found that the application, as filed, through error and without deceptive intent, improperly set forth the inventorship. Accordingly, this application has been corrected in compliance with 37 CFR 1.48 (a). The inventorship of this application has been changed to Steven Mayle and Robert L. Mayle.

The application will be forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination (OIPE) for issuance of a corrected filing receipt, and correction of the file jacket and PTO PALM data to reflect the inventorship as corrected.

Summary: Decision on Petition GRANTED.

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